

SPECIAL KANSAS SESSION

NO APPROPRIATION WAS MADE FOR NORMAL SCHOOLS.

A Blunder by Enrolling Clerks Makes the Law as Passed Illegal.

Topeka, Kansas.—A special session of the legislature may be required to prevent the Kansas State Normal school from closing. It has been discovered that the enrolling clerks of the senate had made a mistake which may invalidate the entire appropriation for the normal school and its branches in Pittsburg and Fort Hays.

The senate passed a bill making the appropriations for the schools. When it got to the house the appropriations for the Pittsburg Manual Training school were cut down \$30,000. Then the bill went to a conference and a compromise was reached whereby \$18,000 more was given to the Pittsburg school than the house had previously voted, and \$13,000 less than the senate had appropriated.

But the enrolling clerks made a mistake and sent the bill, as sent by the house, and not the conference report, to the printer. In this way the house bill was signed by the governor, but it had only passed the house and had not passed the senate in that form. The conference report was passed by both houses, but was not enrolled.

The governor cannot now sign the conference report on the bill and make it become a law. The bill he already has signed cannot become a law because it never passed both houses. The conference report cannot become a law, because it was not submitted to the governor to sign in the time limit. The matter has the state officials worried now. Conferences are being held about it, but no decision has been reached.

Sees a War Cloud Again.

Berlin, Germany.—The Lokal Anzeiger's Vienna correspondent gives an extremely pessimistic view of the Balkan situation. Quoting an unnamed official, he states that all the efforts of the powers to mediate have proved fruitless. The present situation, he declares, cannot last longer than a few days. Serbia must give unequivocal guarantees by the end of the month of her peaceful intentions or otherwise only a miracle can avert war. A despatch from Vienna to the Tagerblatt is similar in tone.

A Veteran Blacksmith.

Independence, Missouri.—J. G. McCurdy, a resident of Independence 61 years, celebrated his 91st birthday anniversary Saturday by working as usual in his blacksmith shop on North Main street. Mr. McCurdy is one of the last of the men who, at the time of the Santa Fe trail, wrought by hand in Independence, turning out all kinds of iron work needed by emigrants. Although his health has been feeble several years he has steadfastly refused to retire from business, but goes every day to his shop.

Paris Strike Collapsed.

Paris, France.—The great strike of the employees of the post office department, which has practically isolated Paris and cut France off from communication with the outside world for the past week, collapsed Sunday. The strike committee decided to call off the employees and make the first move to effect a settlement, virtually suing for peace. The government met the committee half way.

Death in Burning Leaves.

Springfield, Missouri.—While burning leaves in her yard here, Mrs. Agnes Roach, 29 years old, suffered burns which resulted in her death. A three-year-old child of Mrs. Roach discovered that its mother's clothes were afire. As she ran toward her home a passerby caught her and tore off her dress. Mrs. Roach's legs were terribly burned. She leaves a widow and three children.

This Country Importing Potatoes. Philadelphia, Pa.—Sixty thousand bushels of foreign potatoes, the largest consignment ever brought to Philadelphia, were landed Sunday by the steamship Buenos Ayres from Glasgow and Liverpool. They came from England, Ireland and Scotland and the shipment was made possible by reason of the moderate crop and high prices in the United States.

Introduced 495 Bills.

Washington, D. C.—Monday was the first day in the senate of the introduction of bills to be considered by the present congress. There was introduced 495 bills and four joint resolutions.

No Commission for Them.

Arkansas City, Kansas.—By a majority of 153 out of a total vote of 447, Arkansas City Friday decided not to adopt the commission form of government.

EXPERT ADVICE.



Butler—Pardon this interruption, but there is a deputation of unemployed waiting for you at the door.

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Why She Shut Down.

"A charming gentleman, about four years old, used to pass my house every day on his way to kindergarten," said a lady, "and in course of time I made his acquaintance and gave a penny to him each morning when we parted."

"Eventually his mother requested me not to give any more money to him. The next morning I did not present the usual penny. He did not seem to notice the omission. The succeeding day, when the penny was not given to him he said nothing. But on the morning of the third day, when the penny was not forthcoming, he sidled up to me and whispered: 'What's the matter. Ain't your husband working?'"

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Bank Balance and Independence.

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